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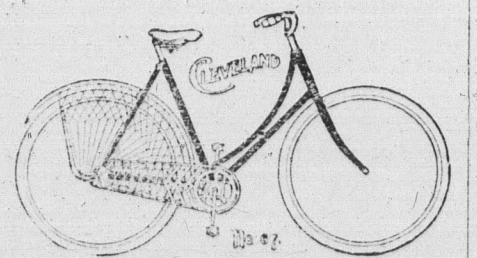
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The Gymnasium Has Cured Many a Case of Dyspepsia.

William H. Evans used to boast that he had never even looked into a gymnasium, which was his way of saying that in his opinion gymnastics were all nonsense. "People say to me, 'Mr. Evans, you're hale and hearty when you ought to be thinking of your grave,' and they wonder how I do it."

Of course the secret of the haleness and the heartiness was temperance—moderation, says the New York News. No man who goes to bed on a supper of mince pie and Welsh rabbit and wakes up for a breakfast of sausage and buckwheat cakes and then spends most of the day twisting from one side of a desk to the other can long avoid the prescription of hot water three a day before meals. "Temperance" is one of the words that are ridiculed until they impress themselves upon giddy humanity with the effect of a branding iron.

Some happy mortals like Mr. Evans have no use for a gymnasium, for they find gymnastic apparatus everywhere. The street is their half mile track; the two flights of steps—perhaps ten flights—are the lung developers; the free and vigorous swing of the arms and the throwing out of the chest are as good as parallel bars.

There are men somewhat intemperate in their temperance, displaying too much of the good thing. They crack your knuckles when they take you by the hand; they pound you on the back as if a five-pound sledge were in your throat, and say, "Brace up, old man; you'll be round shouldered if you don't take care."

But there is this to be said in favor of the gymnasium—it has cured many a case of dyspepsia and to that extent has made the world sweeter.

DOING A GREAT DEED.

How Phillips Brooks Sobered Down a Town.

When Boston's great preacher, Phillips Brooks, was a student at college, he decided to enter the ministry. His instructors advised him against this step because of an impediment in speech. "The professors had all the argument on their side," said the famous clergyman years after when by patient effort he had gained control of his voice, "but naturally I could not protest, for words failed me."

To this preacher's study there came one day a youth, physically perfect, ambitious for honor and looking for a short cut up the road to success. He intimated that he wished to do some great thing better than he could be done by any one else.

Phillips Brooks wrote rapidly upon a piece of paper while his visitor was speaking, sealed it in an envelope and then suggested that the note be read when the man reached home. The letter read: "Stand in the moonlight and you will cast a shadow. No man can cast a shadow just like that."

The young man realized that the preacher had made his honest attempt. On the original letter he wrote, "Possible, but I desire that the deed I do be of benefit to my fellow men."

Back came the original letter, with these words added: "Then stand in the sunlight and permit the workman to eat his lunch in your shadow."

All Happens in a Second.
A second is the smallest division of time in general use, and when we consider that in one year there are about 31,558,000 of these periods it would certainly seem as if it was enough for all practical purposes. But, after all a good deal can happen in the fraction of a second.

A light wave, for instance, passes through a distance of about 186,000 miles in this length of time. A current of electricity has probably an even greater speed. The earth in itself moves in its orbit at a rate of about twenty miles a second.

A tuning fork of the French standard vibrates 870 times per second to produce the note A on the treble staff.

May and December.

Our great-grandfathers had a way of announcing marriage ceremonies which would hardly find favor nowadays. The following cases in point have been unearthed:

"On Aug. 22, 1782, at Bath, Captain Hamilton, aged twenty-eight, married Mrs. Monson, an aged lady of eighty-six, but possessing rank and much wealth."

"Robert Hodge of Cooksborough, Ireland, aged ninety-five, to Miss Annie Nugent, aged fifteen. Robert Hodge was an officer in King William's army and was wounded in the nose."—London Express.

Oddities of Love.

He—I don't know how it is, but I've noticed it is the girl who puzzles all the other girls "what he could have seen in her" who is the first to get married.

She—And it is the man that the girls say they wouldn't have if he were the last man on earth who has his pick of all the pretty girls in town.—Boston Transcript.

Imperative.

Schoolmaster—Now, Jones, give me a sentence, and then we will see if we can change it to the imperative form.

Pupil—The horse draws the wagon.

Schoolmaster—Now put it in the imperative.

Pupil—Get up, Chums.

Nothing more completely baffles one who is full of trick and duplicity than straightforward and simple integrity in another.—Cotton.

BARNUM ON THE DEFENSIVE.

The Great Showman and Three Curiosities of His Museum.

Mr. Barnum's innate and exuberant love of a joke, which was a trait maternally inherited, and his frequent habit of self depreciation were not always quite understood by the public. He therefore suffered sometimes from too much of his own disparaging frankness. His first autobiography, issued in 1855, was not meant to be taken as literal truth, but it was so taken, and the criticism of it was very bitter. The sober matter of fact policy of that day did not see the Pickwickian sense and the orientalism of statement that pervaded it. The cold type could not carry with it the twinkling of the author's eye.

The three things, however, which brought upon him the sharpest criticism were the three curiosities of his show which were called Joyce Heth, the Woolly Horse, and the Fee Gee Mermaid. The first of these was said to be Washington's body servant and was given an incredible age; the second one was a real eel that was a freak; the last was probably of Japanese manufacture. Mr. Barnum constructed neither the second nor the third, but bought them from exhibitors, and he was himself fooled at first by the certificates of Joyce Heth's history.

Barnum frankly admits in his biography that he employed two of them to advertise his museum and was not trying to make their history too exact in announcing them. He romanced somewhat, he says regretfully, in describing the horse, born in India, as a curiosity discovered by Colonel Fremont in the Rocky mountains, but did this to call attention to a museum of curiosities of which it, with the other two, was merely a fractional part. He said he should not do this again, and expressed a wish that it had not been done at all. The best palliation he could plead for these schemes was that without them he did give a big money's worth to all who visited his museum. No perfectly ethical defense beyond this was offered.—Joel Benton in Century.

Both Thought Alike.

Jones and Smith were two old bachelors who lived on the most intimate terms, constantly dined together and smoked the peaceful pipe and occasionally went off together for a week's holiday by the sea. But a change came over the spirit of Smith's dream. Well on in the fifties he got married, and on his return from the honeymoon invited Jones to come and dine with him and be a witness of his happiness.

The dinner over, the old friends sat down in front of the fire after Mrs. Smith had gone upstairs. "Well, my dear Jones," said Benedict, "now tell me quite candidly what do you think of my dear wife?"

Jones hesitated for a moment, then replied: "Well, Smith, if I must speak quite candidly, I don't think much of her." Smith patted him on his knee as he replied confidentially: "Neither do I, my dear Jones."

When George Raised Tobacco.

The Wills Tobacco company of Bristol, England, says a London correspondent, cherishes an autograph letter from George Washington to the original of Wills' firm, written while the Father of His Country was still a grower of tobacco. It runs as follows:

Virginia, 25th November, 1753. Gentlemen—Some time this week I expect to get on board the Cary for your house fifty hogheads of tobacco of my own and Jno. Purke Custis, which please to insure in the usual manner. I shall also by the same ship send you ten or twelve hogheads more if I can get them on board in time, but this, I believe, will be impracticable. If Captain Tulman uses that dispatch in loading which he now has in his power to do, I am, gentlemen, your most obedient, humble servant.

G. WASHINGTON.

She Was So Pleasant!

Oliver Wendell Holmes related a little incident as occurring in his own life which had no little effect on him.

"Many years ago," he said, "in walking among the graves at Mount Auburn, I came upon a plain, white marble slab which bore an epitaph of only four words, but to my mind they meant more than any of the labored descriptions on other monuments: 'She was so pleasant.' That one note revealed the music of a life of which I knew nothing more."

Pleasant For the Baby.

A Canadian firm recently placed with the Montreal and Toronto newspapers an advertisement of a new nursing bottle it had patented and was about to place on the market. After giving directions for use, the ad. ended in this manner:

"When the baby is done drinking it must be unscrewed and laid in a cool place under a tap. If the baby does not thrive on fresh milk, it should be boiled."

FRUITS AND FLOWERS.

The northern slope of a hillside is the best location for an apple orchard. The pear will come as near bearing a crop of fruit every year as any other kind of fruit.

If the currant worm makes its appearance, dust the foliage while the dew is on with white hellebore. In transplanting plants from pots invert the pot and rap the bottom of it sharply, and the plant will come out. An overladen grapevine will not mature its fruit. If it bears more than it ought it will ripen its fruit late.

Alf slaked lime sprinkled on rose bushes when the dew is on will destroy insects without injuring the bushes.

Rose plants should have plenty of light and heat. Nothing will blight their buds sooner than shade and moisture.

Nearly all cultivated fruits are liable to overbear. This is always injurious and should be prevented. One of the best preventives is thinning.

One of the best places to use coal ashes is around the base of the fruit trees. Put a mound of them around each tree. Borers will not be so apt to trouble them.

The Russian Amsterdam.

St. Petersburg is one of the few great cities which have been made and not born. During his residence in Holland Peter the Great was so impressed by Amsterdam, perched upon the waters, that he determined to abandon Moscow and build a new capital which should have canals for streets. In his campaign against Sweden in 1702 he noted an island situated in the midst of the Neva. "Here is my Russian Amsterdam," he exclaimed and immediately began the building of a city there. The site was a marsh in summer and a frozen morass in winter. Two miserable huts were the only buildings. The erection of the citadel, a great fort in the shape of a hexagon, with a tower 390 feet high, on the north bank of the Neva, was his first care. The cottage in which Peter lived while laying out the city still exists.

Children in Somaliland.

Children are regarded as a chief asset in the belongings of a Somali native. A man may have as many as four wives, and most of the patriarchs boast of tremendous families. One old chief of a tribe near Berbera was the head of a family consisting of 23 sons, 29 daughters and 300 grandchildren. A father sells his daughters for camels and often builds up for himself a fortune in this way. The children are named according to the circumstances of their birth, as Wa Berri (born in the morning) or Robleh (born in the rain).

Revenge.

The doctor's wife went to the door. She and the woman next door were not on friendly terms, but the tramp did not know that. "De lady next door," he said, "give me a piece of her home-made pie and I'll fight!"

"I'm sorry," interrupted the doctor's wife, "but the doctor isn't at home just now. However, there's a physician in the next block, and if you hurry he may be able to give you relief before much harm is done."—Chicago Post.

Sudden.

Ethel—There, I've forgotten to attend a function to which I was invited. How careless!

George—You should have an engagement calendar.

Ethel—Oh, George, this is so sudden!

—Chicago Record-Herald.

DIED SUDDENLY**OF HEART DISEASE.**

How frequently does a head line similar to the above greet us in the newspapers. The rich, push and strenuous lives of the American people has a strong tendency to lead up to valvular and other affections of the heart, attended by irregular action, palpitation, dizziness, smothered sensations and other distressing symptoms.

Three of the prominent ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made are recommended by some of the leading writers on *Materia Medica* for the cure of just such cases. Golden Seal root, for instance, is said by the United States Dispensatory, a standard authority, "to impart tone and increase power to the heart's action." Numerous other leading authorities represent Golden Seal as an unsurpassed tonic for the muscular system in general, and as the heart is almost wholly composed of muscular tissue, it naturally follows that it must be greatly strengthened by this superb, general tonic. But probably the most important ingredient of "Golden Medical Discovery" so far as its marvelous cures of valvular and other affections of the heart are concerned, is Stone root, or *Calcium Uta*, Prof. Wm. F. Felt, author of "Faint's Epitome of Medicine," says of it: "I not long since had a patient who was so much oppressed with valvular disease of the heart that his friends were obliged to carry him upstairs. He recovered under the influence of Golden Seal (medicinal principle extracted from Stone root) and is now attending to his business. Heretofore physicians knew of no remedy for the removal of so distressing and so dangerous a malady. With them it was all guess-work, and it fearfully warned the afflicted that death was near at hand. Golden Seal unquestionably affords relief in such cases, and in most instances effects a cure."

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CELESTE GRANICE MURPHY, Associate Editor.

Able Discussion of a Serious Problem.

THE Mongolian problem in America is ably discussed in a pamphlet recently written by Mr. W. K. Roberts, now of this place but formerly an employee of the Chinese Maritime Customs Service in the Orient. It is a discussion of conditions as they really exist by one who has been in close contact with the affairs of that nation and who is in a position to know the inner workings of the Chinese administration and the mental attitude of the people toward Americans and their policy. The pamphlet is written in a clear, concise and forceable style and dwells on the following sub-topics:

First—"That with immigration laws protective of this race the noblest civilization the world has known can be permanently established here.

Second—"History discloses no instance wherein a people coming of the admixture of two or more of the racially diverse branches have achieved greatness, or even maintained stable and liberal self-government. If an admixture of the races found favor with the laws of nature, Constantinople would be to-day the intellectual and moral center of the civilized world. Wherefore, the more important feature of immigration is racial type and not the worthiness of individuals, in disregard of race (there being moral and depraved elements in all races), for ethnic history proves that national characteristics result not from educative or other influences of human invention, but by the blood inheritance fixed by the unalterable laws of nature."

Third—"Restrictive immigration laws should discriminate against races rather than nationalities. Many Chinese have made the assertion that they could find no fault with an immigration law excluding all Asiatics, but do not desire to be specially singled out for that purpose.

Fourth—"Japanese and Korean immigrants are likely to prove even more objectionable than the Chinese, for the reason that while they are equally clannish, and spend no more of their earnings in the country than the latter, they are more turbulent and aggressive, when their numbers are sufficiently augmented to embolden and bring out these inherent qualities."

Fifth—"The fitness of the Mongolian masses to survive under the most squalid conditions and their great numbers make them formidable competitors with Caucasians."

Sixth—"The United States, Canada and Mexico should have harmonious immigration laws against all Asiatics."

Seventh—"American policy has been regarded as weak and sentimental by the Chinese. She must defend her interests through the 'gunboat policy' or a hostile tariff against Chinese goods."

Eighth—"America should offer no more advantages to Mongolians than they themselves offer to Americans. No American, or foreigner, can buy land or engage in business in competition with the natives in China outside the treaty ports, while in Japan, although a pretense is made to tolerate foreign enterprises, whenever such are fairly started a systematic boycott, or some sort of vexatious litigation, will ensue which eventually makes the foreigner glad to sell out. It is practically impossible for a foreigner to win a case at law against a Japanese in his own country. In sooth, the Mongolians in their own domains are, under almost every circumstance and condition, intensely loyal to the interests of their own people and opposed to foreigners, whereas in America they are allowed free industrial competition. The emigration to China or Japan of only a few hundred Americans, as competitors with any class of their people, would be quickly followed by sanguinary riots or boycotts which would prevent their remaining. On the other hand Americans might go to any country of Western Europe and be readily adopted on terms of equality with the natives. This merely goes to show that the Europeans and Americans are of a single racial stock, and will therefore readily assimilate, while the Mongolians being of a radically different race, are at heart always antagonistic to the white man."

DOINGS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

The following is a resume of the calendar day proceedings in the Superior Court on Monday:

In Department One, Judge Seawell presiding, a sale of real estate and personal property was granted in the estate of Sarah Haubrick in a bond of \$25,000.

F. W. Payson was appointed administrator on the estate of Nanny Kruemerk in a bond of \$1,500.

Distribution was ordered of the estate of Clemens Dannhausen.

Albert F. Knight was appointed administrator on the estate of Honora Knight, in a bond of \$2,600.

The hearing of the petition of Geo. W. Hemenway vs. F. A. Meyer, as executor, etc., in the matter of the controversy in the estate of Jane Ingalls was set for May 1st.

S. L. Wattles was appointed administrator on the estate of the late J. B. Wattles in a bond of \$6,800.

A family allowance of \$50 per month was allowed from the estate of A. O. Prentiss and certain personal property was set aside.

The final account of the estate of Archibald B. Higgins was settled and allowed and distribution ordered.

The annual account of the estate of Waldo A. Tomasini was settled and allowed.

The final account of the estate of L. H. Patty was settled and allowed and distribution ordered.

The final account of the estate of Charles H. Dixon was settled and allowed.

The first account of the estate of J. B. Edsall was settled and allowed.

An order to sell real estate and personal property of the estate of Sarah Haubrick in a bond of \$25,000.

The trustees of the First Congregational Church of Sebastopol were granted permission to deed a right of way.

The trial of the suit of Reynolds vs. Leech was set for March 29th.

The suit of Rope vs. Rope and Guber vs. Guber were submitted.

The trial of Shannon vs. Lindsey was reset for May 22d.

Conrad Kiser and Robert Kiser were admitted to citizenship.

The suits of Roberts vs. Forsyth and Bloom vs. Grant were continued to March 26th and (People vs. Solani to March 26th).

The demurrer in the suit of the California Paint M. and M. Co., vs. H. C. Brown, et al., was overruled.

The demurrer was overruled in the suit of Louisa Mollen vs. W. R. Mollen and ten days were allowed to answer.

In Department Two, Judge Burnett presiding, the case of the People vs. G. W. Thompson was continued to March 26th to plead.

Some Political Dope.

Oh, the City Election is drawing quite nigh
For city officials each fellow will try.
Not Frisco with Schmitz made such a scramble,
Just who will get in is not a safe gamble.
Those that won't run stand 'round with cigars,
And pose like Abe Ruef or political Czars.
They give you the wink and say they are wise
And every old candidate comes up and buys.
For all are most anxious when cometh the Fall
To sit back in state in our New City Hall.
Some want reelection for it would not seem right,
If they could not renew the contract for light.
Others seek office to make the great motion
That we build a sewer to the Pacific Ocean.
And then there are some who believe that the park
Should have a pan-handle and lights known as arc.
Some think that the water should belong to the city,
While others say nay, wine maketh the witty.
Some think 't would be nice to ride with the Mayor
On the trolly cars here and not payeth a fare.
All have their platforms and reasons for running
So of course this makes things quite lively and humming.

Card Club Delightfully Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson delightfully entertained the Sonoma Valley Whist Club at their cozy and artistic home on Napa street on Friday evening of last week. The house is finely arranged for entertaining, as three rooms can be thrown into one. Here, amid pretty decorations of blossoms and greenery, five tables were arranged for the card players. The players were Mesdames H. F. Bates, O. P. Palstine, L. S. Simmons, G. H. Hotz, H. W. Gottenberg, W. L. Murphy, H. Appleton and C. Johnson. Messrs. Hotz, Simmons, Lewis, Murphy, Bates, Stofen, Johnson, Appleton and J. Gottenberg. Misses Fraser and Meyers. After the whist games were over, dainty and delicious refreshments were served. Both Mr. Johnson and his estimable wife were delightful host and hostess.

Doctors Are Puzzled.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the Throat and congestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life." Cures the worst Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Ton-sillitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarseness and La Grippe. Guaranteed at Simmons' drugstore, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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Taxes

Poll, road and personal property taxes for 1906 are now due and must be paid to the undersigned or to Frank E. Dowd, County Assessor of Sonoma county, Santa Rosa.

These taxes will become delinquent on and after July 1, 1906. A settlement now will save the penalty which attaches to all such taxes remaining unpaid after above date.

M. P. AKERS,
Deputy Assessor.
Sonoma, March 11, 1906.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it.

Wanted—By Chicago manufacturing house, person of trustworthiness and somewhat familiar with local territory as assistant in branch office. Salary \$18 paid weekly. Permanent position. No investment required. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Address, Manager Branches, Como Block, Chicago.

Wanted—District Managers to post signs, advertise and distribute samples. Salary \$18.00 weekly, \$3.00 per day for expenses. State age and present employment. Ideal Shear Co., 39 Randolph Street, Chicago. ja13 4m

Torture By Savages

"Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for three months from inflammation of the Kidneys," says W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood disorders and Malaria, and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by L. S. Simmons, druggist. Price 50c.

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Mens' Shoes, that were \$2.50 Now 50c
Ladies' & Children's Shoes, that were \$1.50 and \$2.00 . . . Now 50c
Boys' Shoes, formerly \$1.50 Now 50c
Hats reduced from \$2.50 and \$2.50 To 50c
Mens' and Boys' Trousers from 50c to \$1.50.
Mens' Coats and Vests at all prices from \$1.00 up.

If you want your size do not wait
Too long, as they are selling fast

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Will be in effect every day, Feb. 15 to April 7, and Sept. 15 to Oct. 31, 1906, from all points in the East and South.

Following are a few:
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St. Louis 30.00 St. Joseph & Atchison . . . 25.00
Galveston 28.45 Council Bluffs & Omaha . . . 25.00
Dallas, Houston and Fort Worth 25.00
Nearly all points in Kansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory 25.00

Colonist rates are also in effect from all points east of Chicago and south of the Ohio river.

Santa Fe Agents in California will take deposits of money to cover price of tickets, which will be promptly furnished to passengers at any point from which these rates are in effect.

California illustrated literature mailed free to any address or may be had from Santa Fe representatives.

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Colonist tickets are honored in tourist sleeping cars which run via Santa Fe to Los Angeles and San Francisco.

For further information write to or call on
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A high-class preparation for the hair. Keeps the hair soft and glossy and prevents splitting at the ends. Cures dandruff and always restores color to gray hair.

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SONOMA, MARCH 24, 1906.

Leading Paper of Sonoma.



BRIEF MENTION

Spring millinery at The Racket Store.

Spring hats at The Racket Store.

See the new summer Dress Goods at Hotz's.

Here—Spring and hats. The Racket Store.

Daunt does the only reliable watch repairing.

The best local paper—The Index-Tribune.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune only \$9 for the two newspapers.

Beautiful Trimmed Hats, Ready-to-wear Hats and Hat Shapes at G. A. Hotz's.

Any repair work left at Mrs. Lutgen's will receive prompt attention by Daunt.

Don't fail to see the new lot of Spring Hats which arrived at G. H. Hotz's this week.

Dr. Nufer will have his stallions at the Chase Place next Monday to Wednesday.

The trial of the suit of S. B. Wright vs. the County of Sonoma was set for May 9th.

In the suit of Maionchi vs. Nichelini permission was granted to amend the complaint.

Daily Evening Bulletin, Sunday Morning Bulletin and Index-Tribune all for a year for \$7.80.

A sale of real estate of Thomas Skelton Glaister was confirmed in the Superior Court Monday.

Our second invoice of Spring Dress Hats have arrived and are ready for your inspection to-day, Saturday, March 24th. G. H. Hotz.

Take Standard Remedy for any disease arising from impure blood. John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county.

There will be a meeting of the Altamira Club next Tuesday at the MacQuiddy home. The meeting is an important one and every member should be present.

Mrs. G. H. Hotz has just returned from San Francisco with another invoice of Spring Hats, which will be on display on Saturday, March 24th.

Several new patients are being received daily at the California Home. One girl was refused this week as she was more of a subject for the insane asylum. She was taken to Ukiah Tuesday morning.

Rev. Mr. Cragin's topic in the Congregational church to-morrow (Sunday) morning will be "Methods in Winning Men." In the evening the reverend gentleman's theme will be "What Comes First?"

Our Standard Remedy, John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county, is positively the best cure for all diseases arising from impure blood. For sale at Clewe's.

In our last Saturday's issue the types made us say that the defendant in the Mosaroli-Massucci breach of promise case was one of the proprietors of the Swiss Hotel in this place, whereas they should have said "formerly" one of the proprietors, etc. Mr. P. Baccala is now the sole owner of that popular summer resort, having bought out his partner some time ago.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a patent medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

H. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

YOUNG GIRL THROWN FROM A HORSE.

Miss Ella Bethune is Injured While Riding Near Glen Ellen.

Miss Ella Bethune, one of Sonoma Valley's most popular and highly accomplished girls met with quite a serious accident this week at Glen Ellen. She was riding horseback when the animal became frightened and shyed, throwing her from the saddle to the ground. She was taken to the home of the Crepins, where she had been visiting and was compelled to remain there several days under the care of Dr. Crepin, as her back was severely sprained.

Sale of Lewis Property Not Confirmed.

The report which was current last week to the effect that the L. L. Lewis ranch had been purchased by Huntington has not been confirmed. On the other hand Mr. Lewis says he has not been notified of any such transaction and has been busy informing his many friends and acquaintances throughout the State that the news was a surprise to him. However, he admits that Los Angeles capital has looked over the property and that since he withdrew it as a competitor for the State Farm prize \$15,000 more has been offered him for the place than what he had been offered for it before. It is understood that Mr. Lewis has a standing offer from a well-known capitalist of San Francisco for the property but because of the fine land, magnificent water rights and fine quality of produce raised on the place, it is held at a figure that would require much money to arrange a bargain with the owners.

Educational Section Entered.

Friday afternoon of last week the Educational Section of the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club entertained at the club rooms. Preceding the social meeting, however, some business was transacted. Mrs. Appleton was elected treasurer as Mrs. Hotz resigned and Mrs. Hotz in turn was elected a director of the club.

The Native Sons banquet was discussed and a motion made and carried that the proceeds go into the plaza fund.

Mrs. Duhring, who is chairman of the Educational Section, then entertained the club members with a fine paper on educational matters after which tea was served.

Maionchi Suit Decided in Superior Court.

The suit of Leopold Maionchi against Florindo Nichelini et al., was decided by Judge Burnett last Wednesday. The Court ordered the plaintiff to pay the defendants the sum of \$250, which would release him from his agreement to let the Nichelinis retain all his property. Under an old agreement the Nichelinis were to receive property from Maionchi valued at \$1000 in return for giving a home to the old man during his life time. They took the old man in and gave him good care, but were disturbed in the fulfillment of their agreement by the filing of insanity charges against Maionchi and his removal to the State Hospital at Napa.

An Old Timer Passes Away.

William Newton Cunningham, one time president of the old Cumberland College at this place and superintendent of the building which is now our High School, died at Bakersfield last week.

Mr. Cunningham conducted his school in one of the old adobe buildings here, but during his administration the three-story College building on Broadway was put up.

Burly Negro Burglar.

A burly negro burglar was caught in the act of trying to effect an entrance to the home of Miss Olga Leichter, on California street, San Francisco, Tuesday night. A Japanese employed by Miss Leichter's mother discovered the burglar, who was trying to get into the house by a side window. He struck the negro over the head with a club and the fellow ran away but was not captured.

The Leichters are well-known here, where they often visit the Clewe's.

Will Raise Asparagus.

Ninety acres has been planted to asparagus on the Pacific Reclamation Company's ranch near Schellville and Sonoma asparagus will be on the market next season. The land that has been utilized for this purpose lies alongside a slough between the Sonoma creek drawbridge and McGill's and when the water overflows rich sediment is deposited which makes a fine, rich loam. Much of the asparagus in this State is raised along the Sacramento river, but the land on the Pacific Reclamation Company's ranch promises to be equally as good, if not better, for this purpose. The asparagus, however, will require much attention and take additional men to cultivate it.

JACK LONDON IS TO LECTURE HERE

Under Auspices of Woman's Club Noted Author and Socialist Will Speak.

Jack London, the noted author and Socialist, will lecture here on Friday evening, April 20th, at the request of the Woman's Club.

Arrangements were made for Mr. London to speak some time ago but the lecture was postponed. Since then London has been lecturing in the East and created a sensation there according to newspaper reports.

In a letter to Mrs. Walter L. Murphy, one of the directors of the Woman's Club, the young Socialist says that favorable comments on his appearance in the East were never recopied by the press of the West, but that the adverse criticisms were given great prominence. His appearance here is being looked forward to with great interest, as London is at the present time California's most prominent and talented literary product.

Fire in Santa Rosa.

A destructive fire broke out in the Anteco livery stables, Santa Rosa, last Thursday night just before midnight. The stables were completely destroyed and fifteen horses incinerated.

The firemen endeavored to confine the flames to the single building, but were unable to do so. Very soon after the alarm had been given the entire Hinton avenue block, in close proximity to the stables, was burning fiercely. For an hour the firemen worked before they made any impression on the blaze, and it was not until one o'clock that they got it under control.

Among the buildings burned down or partially scorched were the City Hall, Union Trust Savings Bank, the Armory, Wilson Bros. store, Lee Brothers establishment, Milligan's seed store and the Anteco stables.

Evangelistic Meetings

Evangelistic meetings will be held in the Dal Pogetto building on Napa street on Friday next and will continue to Friday, April 6th, inclusive. An eight day's campaign for Christ and Sonoma will be inaugurated. There will be earnest preaching and good singing. A welcome is extended to everybody to attend. Rev. B. M. Palmer will lead with the hearty co-operation of the Congregational and Methodist churches. Mr. Palmer is honored wherever he is known for his ability and earnestness and loved for his unselfishness and kindness, and great interest will be taken in the meetings which he is to lead.

Suits Continued.

These suits were continued in Judge Burnett's department of the Superior Court Monday:

Charles Meyer vs. Hattie Meyer, Sture vs. Price, Burris vs. Flanagan to April 2d; Miller vs. Gibbs, to March 26th.

The suit of Jacob F. Wheeler vs. Annie Wheeler was continued to March 26th.

A Lively Tussle

with that old enemy of the race, Constipation, often ends in Appendicitis. To avoid all serious trouble with Stomach, Liver, and Bowels, take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They perfectly regulate these organs, without pain or discomfort 25c at L. S. Simmons, druggist.

SONOMA'S POLITICAL "HOSS" RACE.

Many Entries in City Trustee Handicap and Other Events

Entries for the political race to be run in Sonoma on April 9th have all been made and the classic event promises to be a matter of much interest and speculation.

The City Trustee handicap has a big field of contestants, but as only three can be inside the money it is a cinch that six out of the nine must go undecorated from the political arena. The entries for this event are as follows: Messrs. Pinelli, Breitenbach, Gottenberg, Bates Murphy, Quartaroli, Yenni, Dal Pogetto and Wagnon.

Betting is not very brisk, but the "talent" believe they have the real dope on the outcome.

The entries for the City Treasurer's event are Will Clewe and Jesse Burris. Both have their backers and admirers. This is no sulky race but is a friendly scramble for the purse.

The race for city clerical honors must be decided between J. B. Small and L. H. Green.

There were no entries against the favorite for City Marshal and Jim Albertson will have a walk-over and can go the distance.

ARSON CASE WAS CALLED YESTERDAY

Man Accused of Firing Quartaroli's Barn on Trial in Superior Court.

The case of the People of the State of California vs. Felici Del Carlo, accused of setting fire to the Quartaroli barn which was burned to ground several months ago, came up for trial in the Superior Court yesterday.

A jury was drawn and twenty-three witnesses went from here to Santa Rosa. At the preliminary examination some of these witnesses swore that Del Carlo was seen coming from the direction of the burning barn when every one else was running toward the fire. This and other evidence against defendant was so strong that he was held to answer to the serious charge for which he is now on trial.

New Trial for Maximilian.

Judge Prewett of Placer county to whom was assigned the trial of the case of the People vs. Maximilian, charged with the murder of an Indian in this county, handed down an opinion Thursday granting the convicted man a new trial.

Maximilian was charged with the murder of George Carrillo, and was convicted of manslaughter. Later it was discovered that the wife of the dead Indian had acknowledged that she had done the cutting which killed her husband, owing to his ill treatment of her.

Flower Seeds

Hon. Duncan E. McKinlay has sent this office a limited number of packages of flower seeds for free distribution among the farmers of this valley. These seeds can be had by calling at this office.

Ayer's

If your blood is thin and impure, you are miserable all the time. It is pure, rich blood that invigorates, strengthens, refreshes. You certainly know

Sarsaparilla

the medicine that brings good health to the home, the only medicine tested and tried for 60 years. A doctor's medicine.

"I owe my life, without doubt, to Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the most wonderful medicine in the world for nervousness. My cure is permanent, and I cannot thank you enough."

Mrs. DELIA McWILL, Newark, N. J.

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An Independent Candidate

Chas. Dal Pogetto, who has been urged by his many friends to run for City Trustee, is out for the office as a strictly independent candidate, and he relies solely for his support at the polls on the individual voter, as he has no clique, clan or combination behind him. Mr. Dal Pogetto is one of our most progressive citizens and during the past twenty years has invested largely in Sonoma real estate and made many improvements thereon. He favors public improvements and always subscribes liberally whenever donations have been solicited to that end. Being a large property owner and a conservative business man the affairs of the city would be safe in his hands. His card appears in another column.

NATIVE SONS AT FESTIVE BOARD.

Entertain Grand Officers at Banquet Arranged by Club Ladies.

About fifty Native Sons and their ladies gathered around the festive board at Odd Fellows Hall, Monday evening, to enjoy a banquet arranged by the Sonoma Valley Club women for the Plaza benefit fund.

The tables were beautifully set and laden with a delicious collation composed of salads, chicken, cold meats, cakes, fruits and coffee. In addition to this bottles of Boye's mineral water, donated by J. W. Kelly, were attractively set before the guests.

Some of the fairest matrons of the club presided over the banquet tables. Mrs. F. T. Duhring was toast-master and there was much speech-making and toast-giving. The club realized over \$30 from the banquet.

Take standard remedy for impure blood. For sale at Mullen's store, El Verano. John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county.

EL VERANO. By Occasional.

A. Weaver was a visitor to San Francisco Thursday.

Phil Rossi is fitting up his new stone saloon at this place.

The new cottage of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris near El Verano is almost completed.

Peter Forni has returned from Napa but is still a very sick man.

Superintendent H. G. Sinclair of the Foster ranch was in Santa Rosa on business Wednesday.

Several girls are employed in labeling work at the Boyes Mineral Water bottling works.

J. K. Bigelow was in San Francisco Saturday last and purchased the loving cup which was presented, one day this week, to Blair Hart for his good work in the El Verano district.

L. L. Lewis shipped three car loads of hay to San Francisco, one day this week via the Southern Pacific. The hay brought \$13 per ton net, the highest price paid for hay in the valley this year.

Occasional. El Verano, March 22d, 1906.

Railroad Fares Again Lowered.

Commencing February 15th and ending April 7th, passenger rates from the East to California will be cut almost in half:

From Kansas City.....\$25.00
Omaha.....25.00
St. Louis.....30.00
Chicago.....33.00
New York.....50.00
Boston.....49.90

Correspondingly low rates will be made from other cities in the East and South, and from Europe.

Now is the golden opportunity to bring your friends to California. You may deposit passage and expense money with me and I will furnish ticket direct to the passenger at his home and arrange all details of his trip without cost.

Write to me for further particulars.

W. J. HOTWELL, General Agent, 625 Market St., San Francisco, Cal.

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Does your baking powder contain alum? Look upon the label. Use only a powder whose label shows it to be made with cream of tartar.

NOTE.—Safety lies in buying only the Royal Baking Powder, which is the best cream of tartar baking powder that can be had.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Henry Elliott was in town Thursday.

W. K. Roberts visited San Francisco Saturday.

Thos. Willett spent Sunday in San Francisco.

Miss Katie McDonnell has been visiting in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Reed spent Tuesday in San Francisco.

Emmet Mullen was a visitor to the metropolis Sunday last.

Jack Gottenberg left for Southern California Saturday last.

Miss Hauts came up to Schellville from San Francisco Tuesday.

Mr. Joseph G. Hooper of San Rafael is the father of a new baby boy.

John Wadsworth was in San Francisco on business Saturday last.

Mrs. Hotz and Mrs. McMullen were visitors to San Francisco Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bates spent Sunday with the Clarence Naumans in San Francisco.

Frank Carrol Griffen, who gave a concert here some time ago, sailed last week for Berlin.

G. J. Palmer and H. L. Hayes of San Francisco spent last Sunday on the Hayes ranch.

Miss Edna McElroy returned Sunday evening from Oakland where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Donahue, who has been visiting her daughter in San Jose, returned to Eldridge Tuesday evening.

After a three-month's visit in San Francisco Miss Dorothy Chase has returned home, being accompanied by her friend Miss Myrtle Olson.

John Skinner, formerly of this place, is now holding a responsible and lucrative position with the Ocean Shore railroad at Point Pedro, Marin county.

Last Saturday evening Mr. Bosworth gave a dinner at his home, "Stafford Grange," in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Langworthy of Rhode Island, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Allen. Those enjoying Mr. Bosworth's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Langworthy, Mr. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Miss Knight and Mr. Howard Knight.

Still it Rains

The heavy rains are not yet over and the creeks and streams of the valley are swollen and running bank full. Weather experts claim that the snowfall on the Sierras has kept the storms from moving eastward, otherwise we, in this section of California, would have had clear, cold weather.

The rains have brought up great quantities of green feed and the outlook for a prosperous year for our dairymen and farmers is exceedingly good.

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form.

A Hint to Travelers.

While in Suffolk, Va., Henry Croll, Jr., proprietor of the Beaverton, Mich., Hardware Co., was taken very sick with bowel trouble. A traveling salesman from Saginaw, Mich., advised him to get a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which he did. "It soon cured me, and I take pleasure in recommending it," he says. "No one should leave home on a journey without a bottle of this remedy. It is almost sure to be needed and is not obtainable while on steamships or cars. Sold by L. S. Simmons."

Afflicted With Rheumatism.

"I was and am yet afflicted with rheumatism," says Mr. J. U. Byrne, editor of the Herald, Addington, Indian Territory, "but thanks to Chamberlain's Pain Balm I am able once more to attend to business. It is the best of liniments." If troubled with rheumatism give Pain Balm a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. One application relieves the pain. For sale by L. S. Simmons.

A Scientific Wonder

The cures that stand to its credit make Bucklen's Arnica Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. H. Mulford, lecturer for the Patrons of Husbandry, Waynesboro, Pa., of a distressing case of Piles. It healed the worst Burns, Sores, Boils, Ulcers, Cuts, Wounds, Chills, and Salt Rheum. Only 25c at Simmons' drug store.

Daily Call and Index-Tribune \$9 per year.

POLITICAL CARDS

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Dal Pogetto, INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE

For Trustee of the City of Sonoma. Election, April 9th, 1906.

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CHICOPEE FALLS, MASS., U. S. A.

CHICKS 2c Apiece

Took from the incubator 735 chicks; fed them entirely on COULSON'S SPECIAL DRY CHICK FEED until 5 weeks of age; they ate 400 pounds of Special Chick Feed—nothing else—raised 800 chicks. Cost less than 2c per chick to feed them on Coulson's Special Chick Feed up to this time.

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Petaluma, Cal.

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Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., March 24, 1906.

H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

HOW IT CAME BY ITS DATE.

That Was Counterfeit as Well as the Quarter.

The gaunt, sad looking man ate two bountiful portions of "beef and" in the Park row beanery and with a check calling for 20 cents ventured toward the cashier's desk and banged down a battered silver quarter.

The proprietor picked up the suspicious looking quarter and examined it critically. There was a deep dent near a place in the rim and another near the circumference directly opposite, and this looked as if it might have been plugged.

"It grieves me to part with that quarter," said the aged, gaunt man. "I saved my life once. At the siege of Vicksburg I carried it in my vest pocket. The dent you see there was made by a bullet which otherwise would have gone through me. It saved my life then as it does now, but it is hard to part with the old friend."

The proprietor was evidently interested. "In what year was the siege of Vicksburg?" he asked.

"Sixty-three," was the prompt answer.

"This quarter is dated 1877, and it is a counterfeit."

The sad looking man looked displeased. "Of course it is. How else do you suppose I'd have an 1877 quarter in sixty-three if it wasn't a counterfeit?" he explained.

And the proprietor was so surprised that he handed out 5 cents in change, while the sad man made his escape.—New York Tribune.

A Tart Retort.
During the presidential campaign of William Henry Harrison Alexander H. Stephens and Julius Alford met in a political debate in the south. Mr. Alford was a lawyer of a small city in middle Georgia and an aspirant for congress. He was a man of fine physique and good oratorical powers, but haughty and self conceited. Mr. Stephens, his political opponent, was an intellectual giant, but exceedingly frail physically.

After Mr. Alford had "spread himself" on behalf of his chosen candidate, thinking to belittle Mr. Stephens, who was to follow with a speech, he concluded by saying: "And here's little Alice Stephens, wearing a coat that's big enough for old General Jackson, with the collar six inches above his head and the tails dragging on the ground. If you 'tallow' him and lay back his ears, I'll swallow him."

To which Mr. Stephens piped out in quick retort, "If you did, you would have more brains in your stomach than you've got in your head."

Booth's Carefulness.
A Boston jeweler who had occasion from time to time to manufacture jewelry for Edwin Booth, the tragedian, to be worn in different characters, said he was extremely conscientious in having them made; not only of the best material, but as near as possible historically correct. In having a costly crown of gold and precious stones made for the character of Richard III, he sent to London to get the correct design. So in the jewels for the character of Richelieu he took great pains to consult the best authorities. It did not satisfy him to be told that the real could not be distinguished from the imitation on the stage; hence he bought the costliest laces and materials for his costumes.

Luminous Paper.
Luminous paper is very useful, and it can be easily rendered waterproof. It could be used for the numbers of houses, for covering matchboxes, for surrounding key-holes and in many other ways to guide people in the dark. You can make it for yourself.

Merely take three parts of gelatin, three parts of potassium bichromate and thirty-seven parts of calcium sulphide. Mix these thoroughly and add one part with one and a half parts of water. Apply with a brush to the paper.

What a Bad Digestion Does.
All life looks black to a miserable man with a stomach in which his food lies like lead. Woe to his companions if they expect good fellowship from him! Woe to his wife unless she has the womanly intuition that will make her humor him as though he were a cross baby! Man delights him not, nor woman either, nor is he best pleased with himself, though he jealously demands homage from others.

Good Bet.
"Hello, Sam! What's de trouble 'tween yo' an' yo' mule?"
"I jes' won a quarter f'm him on a bet."

"Yoah jes' a natchel fool coon. How yo' ebber gwine ter git yo' quarter f'm a mule?"
"Mars' Brown gibs me 50 cents er month fer to buy dis mule's feed, an' I's gwine ter take it out ob his feed, dat's how."—Judge.

Railroad Fares Again Lowered.

Commencing February 15th and ending April 7th, passenger rates from the East to California will be cut almost in half:

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Hotel Bills In England.

The author of "Portugal Old and New" finds fault with English hotel keepers for using a printed form of bill on which the plain requirements of a simple traveler are lost amid a multitude of items. The result is that when a guest pays for a day's and a night's lodging he is positively almost ashamed at finding due registry of his having wanted neither liquors nor stationery nor warm baths nor donche baths nor shower baths nor pots of jam, nor the hotel hairdresser and is apt to reflect what a poor shuffling impostor of a guest he is to have had so few requirements.

Slightly Different.
"Dat were a very excitin' jackpot I won las' night on a bluff," said Mr. Erasmus Pinkney as he tilted his cigar and dropped his hat over his eye.

"Did you raise the option?" asked Mr. James Colliflower.

"No, sah; I opened a razor."—Washington Star.

She Helped.
"Did she help you to propose?"
"Well, rather. She asked how many boxes of candy would pay for an engagement ring."—Detroit Free Press.

Avoid greatness. In a cottage there may be found more real happiness than kings or their favorites enjoy in palaces.—Horace.

Cured Consumption.
Mrs. W. B. Evans, Clearwater, Kansas, writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold at Simmons' drug store.

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Professor Mivart proved that there are "instincts" that lead to death by failing to adapt themselves to a change of circumstances. Migratory quail by thousands perish in the deserts of northern Africa, where their ancestors found a comfortable winter resort, abounding with forests and even with grain fields, if we shall credit Pliny's account of the Numidian coast lands. The forests are gone, but myriads of quail still follow in the same route at the risk of starvation.

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The More Difficult Part.
"The actor," said Roscius, "should always forget that he has an audience. He should immerse his soul in his lines, and"—
"That's all very pretty," interrupted Horatio Tiewalker. "It isn't half so much trouble to forget that he has an audience as to forget that he hasn't one."—Judge.

In and Out.
First Officer—Yes, we were marching over a plank bridge when it gave way, and the men fell in.
Second Officer—And what did you do?
First Officer—Oh, I ordered them to fall out.—Illustrated Bits.

Unlucky.
"Yes, since Mrs. Gortox broke a mirror yesterday she is convinced that it is very unlucky."
"How superstitious!"
"Not at all. It was a French plate mirror and cost \$400."—Baltimore News.

What He Preferred.
Magistrate—And I understand that you prefer charges against this man.
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Always Keeps Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the House.
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WHAT "WHIRLERS" ARE.
And the Incident From Which It Is Said They Got Their Name.
"There was a dealer in haberdashery," said a college professor, "to whom a teamster once came and said, 'I want to get a pair of whirlers, sir.'"
"Whirlers?" said the haberdasher. "What on earth are whirlers?"
"Why, stockings with the feet cut out," the teamster answered.

"Oh," said the haberdasher. "Well, I haven't any whirlers, but I've got some very excellent stockings. Suppose I show you some?"
"All right," the teamster said.

"So the haberdasher exhibited the best stockings he had in his shop, and the other selected a fine pair, saying: 'I suppose you don't mind making whirlers out of them for me?'"
"Not at all," retorted the other, and with a pair of shears he cut the feet out of the stockings.

"Now," said the teamster, "how much are they?"
"Fifty cents, the same as before, of course."

"Fifty cents? Why, I never paid more than 10 cents anywhere," said the teamster, and he snatched meaningly and made as if to depart.

"Hold on!" the haberdasher cried. "Don't leave me in a lurch like this. The price of these stockings is 50 cents."

"They're whirlers, not stockings, now," the other said.

"Well, take them, then. You've done me. Take your whirlers," said the haberdasher.

"And since that time," the professor concluded, "whirlers has been the name for stockings without feet."—New York Tribune.

A Cold Blooded Gambler.
The French court was at one time a hotbed of gambling. Louis XIV. would play for heavy stakes in the night, and many courts were ruined at his table. His successor, who lacked his predecessor's gentility and good nature, was an even greater devotee of the card table. The story is told that when this king was playing one evening a gentleman present was seized with apoplexy. "M. de Chauvigny is ill," one of the courtiers ventured to tell Louis. "Ill?" said the king, quite unmoved. "He is dead. Take him away. Spades are trumps, gentlemen."

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All Brushed Off.
A lady called at a chemist's shop, then, after examining one or two articles, remembered that she wanted some cosmetic for the toilet and turning to the chemist, asked, "Have you any bloom of youth?"

The merchant, over whose head more than fifty summers had passed, turned to one of his assistants and asked in a business way, "Have I any bloom of youth left?"

The clerk looked up with a quiet smile and answered, "I believe not, sir."—London Globe.

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